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ABSTRACT

The invention relates to a lifting tool for handling of a pipe-string pipe length for joining and lowering or lifting and disassembly of conductor, casing, risers, drill string, or similar in a bore hole or well. The invention also relates to a lifting system for lifting or lowering pipe length and pipe-string, for joining and lowering or lifting and disassembling of conductor, casing, risers, drill string, or similar in a bore hole or well. The lifting system comprises a lifting tool with a lifting part and a support part connected to an elevator apparatus which is mounted to a top drive and where the lifting tool lifting part shall operate in conjunction with a power slip which is configured to receive and hold in a fixed position a standing pipe length or pipe-string. Finally the invention comprises a method for lifting of pipe length for joining of pipe length to a pipe-string, including conductor, casing, risers, or similar for use in a bore hole or well with the use of a lifting system and lifting tool according to the invention.